March 7, 2022

Application GRANTED. SO ORDERED.

## **BY ECF**

The Honorable Jesse M. Furman United States District Judge Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square, Room 2202 New York, NY 10007

March 7, 2022

Re: Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University v. Federal Bureau of Prisons and U.S. Department of Justice, No. 21 Civ. 6579 (JMF)

## Dear Judge Furman:

On behalf of the parties in the above-referenced case brought by plaintiff the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University ("the Knight Institute"), against the Federal Bureau of Prisons ("BOP") and the U.S. Department of Justice, we write respectfully to provide a status update as directed by the Court's order dated February 22, 2022, Dkt. No. 37.

Since the last status report, the parties have resolved additional issues, and BOP completed supplemental searches. BOP is processing the results of those searches and anticipates producing the responsive, non-exempt portions on or before March 15, 2022. The parties believe that additional time will allow BOP to produce the records to Plaintiff, Plaintiff time to review the supplemental production, and the parties to further narrow any outstanding issues.

Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that the Court permit the parties to submit a further status report on March 25, 2022, advising the Court of the parties' progress.

Respectfully submitted,

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